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For: METHOD OF CALLING SERVICE AMONG  
DEVICES IN HOME NETWORK

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated September 21, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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